

<b>DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION</b> (37 CFR 1.63)	<b>Attorney Docket Number</b>	84100
	<b>First Named Inventor</b>	Gerald B. Eaton
	<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
	<b>Application Number</b>	10/047,763
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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Methods for Forming Amorphous Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyolefins for Use As Drag Reducing Agents

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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Title: : METHODS FOR FORMING AMORPHOUS ULTRA-HIGH MOLECULAR  
WEIGHT POLYOELFINS FOR USE AS DRAG REDUCING AGENTS  
  
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Sir:

The undersigned, being Assignee of record of the entire interest in the above-identified Application by virtue of the Assignments as set forth below, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the Application to the exclusion of the inventors.

The Assignee hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints Anthony F. Matheny, Reg. No. 43,778, an attorney with the law firm of ANDREWS KURTH LLP, as its attorney so long as he remains with such law firm, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the Application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, to receive any Letters Patent, and for one year after issuance of such Letters Patent to file any request for a certificate of correction that

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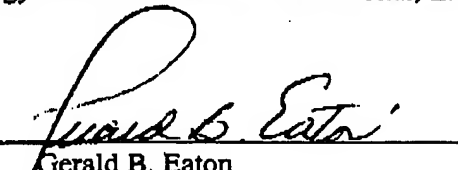
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §3.73, the undersigned has reviewed the evidentiary documents, specifically the Assignments to Energy & Environmental International, L.C. referenced below, and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of the Assignee.

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